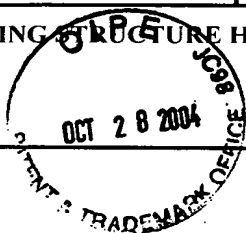


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In response to the Office Action of August 6, 2004, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 3 of this paper.

**Amended Drawings** are attached to this amendment. Changes to the drawings are explained in the Remarks/Arguments section of this paper.